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Refinery Statistics for 1920

United States	1,114,295
Canada	1,114,295
Mexico	1,114,295
Central America	1,114,295
South America	1,114,295
Europe	1,114,295
Asia	1,114,295
Africa	1,114,295
Australia	1,114,295
Antarctica	1,114,295
Other	1,114,295

Oklahoma's Most Expensive Luxury

Beyond a doubt, the corporation commission of Oklahoma is costing the citizens of this state more hard coin every day in the week than all the numerous grafters that belong to the political bunch that has been running things in Oklahoma for many years, and the said corporation commission, if it got its just deserts, would be either kicked out bodily, or else investigated as to why it invariably decides against the people, and in favor of the corporations. A short time ago there was a hearing before the corporation commission wherein the refiners were seeking a revision of the rate on petroleum and petroleum products, crude and refined, both carload and less than carload. The oil men asked that the rate be established on the railroads as during the federal control, and that had been previously obtained for the non-federal lines subject to the subsequent advances authorized by the government.

The basis of this schedule of rates, according to Clifford Thorne, is a cost analysis used in the figures that were originally compiled by a statistician for the Santa Fe railroad, and from this the corporation commission was asked to put in effect a schedule of rates believed to be fair and reasonable both to the railroads and to the oil industry. It was shown the oil industry was the greatest asset the state of Oklahoma possessed, and it was maintained that rates now in effect were from one-fourth to one-third higher than any other state in the south-west, but the corporation commission has finally decided to let things alone until next June, at which time they pretend that there may have been an opinion handed down by the supreme court in regard to the rights of the various states in making rates.

The corporation commission, in other words, preferred not to even up rates in Oklahoma with Kansas, Arkansas and Texas, and do it now but to make the oil men wait until sometime in the dim future, and in the meantime throw everything to the pipe lines.

It will cost the railroads millions in money in the business that they will not get, and will prevent refiners from shipping crude to the refinery from the fields.

Even now the railroads are asking for a conference with oil men, so that a fair agreement may be reached, and these railroads are railroads that are directly interested in Oklahoma industries.

The meeting in Chicago, which is bringing together a committee from the Presidents association and refiners may also bring about better rates, but not in a thousand years can the corporation commission of Oklahoma, with its majority of two to one, be counted on to do anything for the people of this state.

And in the meantime the corporation commission is getting an appropriation of \$175,000 from the legislature right now and the big end of it.

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Leases — Supplies — Production, Etc.

I am familiar with the geology of southwest Arkansas and in a position to block 10,000 acres on geological structure. Have had several years experience in geological work and have specialized on the structure and origin of the north Louisiana and south Arkansas formations. Party or parties wanted to finance lease and production on oil and gas. Will do leasing for small salary and interest in leases. Call Osage 9702 or address J. A. Murphy, 23 1/2 West First.—Adv.

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that hard times have not hit this town, and the new oil development along the road north of the city appears to be heading directly into town, with the chance, however, that it will switch to the southeast, which is the logical direction of all trends in Oklahoma.

The big news at Bristow is the fact that the Wilcox farm is being built as fast as men and money can do the job. The first tank is being roofed right now, and 11 embankments have been made, and the main road is located on high ground and will be a landmark for travelers either by rail or by motor car. It is located near the refinery and is in full operation being run by the Wilcox Oil company.

Bristow is rapidly growing out its housing problems, and most of all the oil men are building their own homes. It is the base of all prosperity, and when an oil man has once established his home, he will stay there. There is a good hotel and a big town in the daily oil report whenever the embargo on drilling is taken off, and in the meantime there is a lot of money being sent by the pumps and field help who are making this town their headquarters.

The road to Slick is the most interesting of all. There is but one idea, and only one opinion heard on the trip between these two good towns, and that is that it all looks like mighty good country. There are plenty of creeks and much structure, so that it can be played any way to suit the oil man.

Slick has the distinction of being only one year old on the 15th of this month. It has made the most substantial progress of any town in any country, and is certainly a credit to the producers. There is a good hotel and a big town in the daily oil report whenever the embargo on drilling is taken off, and in the meantime there is a lot of money being sent by the pumps and field help who are making this town their headquarters.

The daily average production of oil for 1920 was 1,114,295 barrels, an increase of 2,500,000 barrels over the production of 1919. Exports and shipments of gasoline for 1920 exceeded 1919 by 818,000,000 gallons, an increase of 24 per cent. Stocks of gasoline at the refineries are approximately 16,000,000 gallons more than those of December 31, 1919.

The daily average production of kerosene for 1920 was 75,000 gallons less than the production of 1919. Daily average of exports and shipments of kerosene for 1920 was 328,000 gallons less than those of December 31, 1919.

Gas and fuel oil production for 1920 shows an increase in the average of 3,000,000 gallons more than in 1919. Exports and shipments for 1920 were increased 2,000,000 gallons daily over those of 1919.

The daily average domestic consumption of gasoline and fuel oil for 1920 was 1,085,135 gallons more than for 1919. The use of fuel oil for bunkering vessels engaged in foreign trade during 1920 was 88 per cent larger than the amount used in 1919. Stocks of fuel oil at the end of December were 123,000,000 gallons larger than the stocks at the first of the year.

The daily average production of lubricating oil was increased by 540,000 gallons for the year 1920. The daily average of exports and shipments of lubricating oils were increased by 365,691 gallons. Domestic consumption of lubricating oils increased 113,026 gallons. Stocks of these oils were increased 23,000,000 gallons since the first of the year.

Include Burbank Acreage in Next Osage Lease Sale

BURBANK, Okla., March 11.—The next auction sale of oil and gas leases of Osage Indian lands will include a considerable acreage, according to local oil men, and because of the big pools opened here by the Carter Oil company and the Marland Oil company, the acreage will be no doubt be of great interest to the big concerns. None of the stuff, to the east of Burbank, has yet been leased by the Indian department, but with the Osage trust period extended for 16 years from 1921, or until 1946, the indications are that the bidding will again be brisk when this stuff is offered under the hammer.

The two pools, adjacent to Burbank, now have a total of 15 producing wells, with a total production of 5,000 barrels a day. With 34 wells either drilling or rigs up ready for spudding in. There are also six gas wells in this locality. The gas production from the Osage trust area shows from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 cubic feet per well and from 750,000 to 12,000,000 cubic feet. The oil trend, at the present time, is paralleling the Santa Fe railroad into Burbank, south and southeast toward this town.

It is estimated that the average cost of drilling a well at the present time, in this locality is around \$50,000. The 34 wells now drilling, therefore, means an outlay of \$1,700,000, and in the proven area of the field, thus far leased, there are something like 150 wells to be drilled, or an additional expenditure in this neighborhood of \$7,500,000 for the drilling alone. These figures show something of the activity in the new western Osage district.

All in a Day's Trip

With the roads in perfect condition, a day's trip from Tulsa to Bristow and back by way of Slick and Pagers, is certainly an enjoyable one, and of the greatest interest to a man who is interested in the oil game.

The road south from the city limits of Tulsa is as has been said, from the start, built up by the subscription of Tulsa oil men, and is really in need of repairs. It is the worst piece of road encountered, and needs an application of a good old-fashioned road drag after the first rain.

The road, too, as far as the Creek county line, is getting full of holes, and it is a great relief to strike the chat surfaced roads looked after by Sapulpa engineers, and beyond Sapulpa the drive is magnificent and everybody one meets is trying to break all speed limits.

The Pular Refining company's plant, owned by Tulsa people, across the Pular from the Sapulpa Refining company's plant, is a most unique affair, and is said to be turning out gasoline of exceptional quality. It has been a money maker from the start, but is deserving in a story of itself.

The Sapulpa Refining company, with its new lubricating plant in full operation, certainly looks large, and is a magnificent monument to the genius of its builders. There is no question as to the quality of the output of lubrication oil, and there is no fuel oil to set back the profits made from gasoline.

Bristow is booming. It is evident

in the vicinity of Deer Creek in eastern Grant county, was made this week by George R. Hosen, general manager, and H. E. Myers, general superintendent of the Oklahoma National Gas Co. of Tulsa. The company has extensive interests in the district and is trying the gas production for its line into Bristow. This district is also being connected with Blackwell by a pipe line now being laid by the Blackwell Oil & Gas Co.

A new test in the eastern portion of the Deer Creek district is being started by Ward & Wellhall, of Fairbury, Kan., in the southwest of 22-23-24 west, at a point four miles north of Nardin. Material for the rig has been unloaded at Nardin and the tools are in transit.

In the Otter Country. In the Otter Indian country, north of Morrison, the Watchman interests are getting ready to spud in their new test in 22-23-24 east, and the same company has set the five-inch casing and started drilling again in 2-23-24. The Magnolia is ready to start work again on the Wolfe No. 1 where the company was destroyed by fire about a month ago.

The Prairie Pipe Line Co. is building an extension to the Hickman and Carter field in western Osage county, in order to take the oil from the National Exploration Co.'s wells and others in that locality. Several wells are on top of the sand waiting the completion of the line.

Important Developments Around Bristow

In the pool about five miles northeast of Bristow, the No. 2 Price of the Wilcox Oil & Gas Co. has a hole full of water at 2,520 feet and is shut down. This well is located in the southwest corner of the northwest of the southwest of 15-15-10, about a quarter mile south of the three offset wells of the Wilcox company. There are very first large gasers and then went into oil from this 2,500-foot well.

Owing to the dry hole in the north-south corner of the northwest of 13-14-9, and this new well water showing, it looks as though this pool is going to be of a very small proportions.

Joe Abraham has a 5,000,000 gasser in his No. 2 Rogers, located in the northwest corner of the northeast of the southeast of 34-16-9, in sand from 2,601 to 2,504 feet.

Hewitt Well Gets Showing in Deep Sand

The No. 1 well of the Carter Oil company, located in the northwest corner of the southwest of 26-16-23, about a quarter mile southwest of the production in the Hewitt pool, is reported to have 1,500 feet of oil in the hole coming from sand found at 2,502 feet. This is a new deep pay for this district, as the Hewitt production is coming from a shallower sand.

The Coline Oil company's well, located in the southwest corner of the southwest of 26-16-23, which made about 150 barrels from sand at about 2,300 feet, is reported to have fallen off considerably in production, and that it will be drilled deeper. The Coline well is about three-quarters of a mile southeast of the new Carter producer.

New Completions in the Osage

The No. 2 well of the Guffey-Gillette Oil company, located in the northwest corner of 25-24-8, found sand from 2,227 to 2,267 feet and is good for 100 barrels. It was shot with 100 grains.

The Osage Oil & Refining Co.'s No. 8 well, located in the center of the north line of the south half of the northeast of 22-23-10, found the Bartlesville sand from 1,718 to 1,741 feet, was drilled to a total depth of 1,752 feet and started off good for 175 barrels after a 180-grain shot.

Big Producer in Eldorado Field

The No. 1 well of Keen & Wolf, located in the southeast corner of the southwest of the southwest of 39-17-15, is reported to have started off good for 700 barrels of good oil, and making 20,000,000 feet of gas. The Bussey sand was found from 2,175 to 2,201 feet, and the well has all the indications of making a big producer in the field.

It is located about a quarter mile due north of the Bussey well.

Good Producer North of Slick

The Jomac Oil company's No. 2 well, located in the southeast corner of the northeast of the southeast of 26-16-9, has been completed for an initial production of 200 barrels natural. Sand was found from 2,563 to 2,575 feet.

Starting Wildcat Test in Kay County

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company has started a wildcat well three miles northeast of here, in the northwest corner of the southeast of 29-27-28, in Kay county. This location is three miles due west of the famous Hickman field in Osage county. It is proximity to the Hickman pool lends importance to this Kay county test.

Development in Lincoln County

The Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 1 Long, located in the northeast corner of the southeast of 6-15-10, is drilling at 1,932 feet.

The No. 1 Landsey of the Couden Oil & Gas Co., located in the center of the northeast of the northeast of 6-15-10, is drilling at 1,520 feet.

The Isom Petroleum company is testing for tools at 2,300 feet in the No. 1 Randolph, located in the southwest corner of the southeast of the southwest of 17-16-4.

The No. 1 Haffman of the Magnolia Petroleum company is drilling at 600 feet. This test is located in the northwest corner of the southeast of 19-14-5.

Specs has a rig up for No. 1 Brooks, located in the northeast corner of the southeast of 2-14-8.

The Stroud Oil & Gas Co.'s No. 1 Scheff, located in the southwest corner of 2-14-8, is shut down at 1,430 feet.

The Nol Janie Johnson of the Sayoy Oil company, located in the southeast corner of the northeast of 35-12-6, is drilling at 2,540 feet.

Operations North of Slick

H. C. Wilson has a rig up for No. 1 Self, located in the southeast corner of 6-16-10.

The Carter Oil company's No. 1 Carey, located in the northwest corner of the northeast of the southwest of 7-16-10, is drilling at 550 feet.

H. C. Wilson has spudded in and shut down on No. 2 Stewart, located in the northwest corner of the northeast of 8-16-10.

The No. 1 Lee of the Aladdin Oil company, located in the northwest corner of the northeast of the northeast of 9-16-10, is shut down at 1,000 feet.

W. W. Scott's No. 2 Brown, located in the southeast corner of the northeast of the northeast of 10-16-10, is shut down at 2,485 feet.

The Joe Mac Oil company's No. 1 Garret, located in the southwest corner of the southeast of 17-16-10, is shut down at 2,372 feet.

The No. 1 Bruner of the Wilcox Oil & Gas Co., located in the southwest corner of the northwest of 18-16-10, is rigged up and shut down.

The Wilcox Oil & Gas Co. has a hole full of water in its No. 2 Price, located in the southwest corner of the northwest of the southwest of 18-16-10.

The Phillips Petroleum company's No. 1 Price, located in the southeast corner of the northwest of 19-16-10, is topped a sand at 2,552 feet and is shut down at 2,567 feet with a small show of oil.

Watte Phillips' No. 1 Doble, located in the northwest corner of the southeast of the southeast of 20-16-10, an old well drilled deeper, is shut down at 2,552 feet in sand and top.

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